

Percentage of 1999–2000 undergraduates who reported a disability or not, their average age, and percentage distributions (by columns) of demographic characteristics, according to disability status

Student characteristics	Any disability or difficulty reported	None reported	Consider self with disability	Don't consider self with disability
Percent of all	9.3	90.7	3.6	96.4
Average age	31	26	34	26
Column total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Age				
18 or younger	5.8	9.9	3.1	9.8
19–23 years	36.3	49.3	24.5	49.1
24–29 years	15.5	16.1	15.3	16.1
30–39 years	19.2	13.5	23.7	13.7
40 years or older	23.3	11.1	33.4	11.5
Gender				
Male	39.6	42.4	46.2	42.0
Female	60.4	57.6	53.8	58.0
Race/ethnicity				
White, non-Hispanic	70.8	66.7	70.8	67.1
Black, non-Hispanic	10.9	11.8	13.0	11.7
Hispanic*	9.9	11.6	8.0	11.4
Asian	2.1	4.9	1.1	4.8
American Indian/Alaska Native	1.9	0.7	2.5	0.8
Native Hawaiian/other Pacific Islander	0.8	0.8	1.4	0.7
Other	1.4	1.5	0.8	1.6
More than one race	2.3	1.9	2.5	1.9
Income quartiles				
Low quartile	29.7	23.1	29.6	23.4
Middle quartiles	49.0	49.9	49.9	49.9
High quartile	21.3	27.1	20.6	26.8
Parents' highest education level				
High school or less	40.7	36.4	45.1	36.4
Some postsecondary education	24.1	22.8	21.6	23.0
Bachelor's degree or equivalent	35.2	40.9	33.3	40.7

*Priority was given to Hispanic ethnicity regardless of race chosen.

NOTE: Percentages may not add to 100 due to rounding.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 1999–2000 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:2000).